



**Indiana**  
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## **Long-term Care** **NEWSLETTER**

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### **LTC Update:**

- **Reminder: Long-Term Care Pre-Employment Background Checks**
- **Langham Portal Closed**
- **CMS Updated Survey Resources**

### **Reminder: Long-Term Care Pre-Employment Background Checks**

A facility is required to have completed a limited criminal history background check for all unlicensed staff. Visit the [Indiana State Police \(ISP\)](#) website for the requirements on how to complete the limited criminal history background check.

Surveyors will request evidence that a limited criminal history background check, per ISP requirement, has been completed. The ultimate source of information for the limited criminal history background check must be ISP.

A search of the applicable professional registry should be completed for any staff member with a professional certification or licensure to determine if there are any findings or disciplinary action against the individual.

### **Langham Portal Closed**

The Indiana Department of Health (IDOH) has been distributing PPE supplies through the Langham portal to entities and businesses during the COVID-19 response.

This communication is to inform users the Langham portal is now closed. Requests entered on or before May 30 will be processed and shipped.

## **CMS Updated Survey Resources**

CMS updated the survey resources as of May 16. The updated resources may be found here:  
[Survey Resources - 05/16/2023 \(ZIP\)](#)

Here is a link to the CMS Revision History for LTCSP documents:

<https://www.cms.gov/files/document/revision-history-ltc-survey-process-documents-and-files-updated-05/16/2023.pdf>.